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Subject: Referred to Region - South Carolina
Tip ID: 141598
Date: 04/08/2016
Time: 9:43:00 AM
Recipient: Regional Tip and/or Complaint
Recipient Email:

Submitter Info

From:
Email:
Company:
Address:
City:
State:
Zip:
Phone:

Alleged Violator/Violation Info

Name: Hughes junk yard/ Jay Hughes
Address: Hwy 601
City: Bamberg
State: South Carolina
Zip: 29003
Phone:
Violation Date:

Violation still occurring?: Yes

- ☐ Referred Directly
☒ Referred By Criminal

3708 - RCRA/Solid Waste ▼

HQ Lead Number:

FY16-141598-3708-CV

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Ref. Lead Number:**Case Number:**

Official: State
Statute: RCRA
Action: Unspecified Government Action
Disposition: Lead Closed

☐ Check if the message is SPAM[Windows Live Local URL](#)[\[check URL\]](#)**Category:**

Region 4 - Solid Waste ▼

Language:

English ▼

Submit

Reset

Notified state DEP, DEQ, or DEM?: No

Department contact:

Tip or Complaint:

It is well known in our area that he has buried and is continuing to bury drums of burnt oil on his junkyard property. He is also using the junkyard as a C&D landfill allowing people to dump shingles, stumps etc on his property to get around paying landfill fees. He also cuts off gas tanks so with a full tank and let's it spill into the soil. The Bamberg county building inspector told several people that once he had drums hurried on an adjoining neighbors land and once the landowners learned about it, the above went and dug up barrels of oil and relocated on his junkyard property. The word on the street is that he accepts oil from several businesses on the area for a cheaper rate than it would cost to properly dispose of.

Update to Tip or Complaint:

Specific Directions to Site:

You can access the junkyard from Highway 601 (main entrance) and from Highway 301 the back entrance. It's main entrance is on highway 601 about one mile outside the city limits of Bamberg, SC.

Referrer:

<https://www.epa.gov/enforcement/report-environmental-violations>

URL for related document:

Intent	Type	Media	Entity
<input type="radio"/> Accidental	<input type="radio"/> Release	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Land	<input type="radio"/> Individual
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Intentional	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Dump/Buried	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Company
<input type="radio"/> Unknown	<input type="radio"/> Spill	<input type="checkbox"/> Air	<input type="radio"/> Government/Military
	<input type="radio"/> Spray	<input type="checkbox"/> Worker	<input type="radio"/> Unknown
	<input type="radio"/> Fill	<input type="checkbox"/> Documents	
	<input type="radio"/> Falsified		

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Continued Communication

Date Sent: April 12, 2016

Time Sent: 7:24:08 AM

To: NONE

Cc:

From: Region

Subject: Final Disposition

Message: HQ Lead Number: FY16-141598-3708-CV
Potential Violator's State: South Carolina
Reference Lead Number:
Potential Violator's Name: Hughes junk yard/ Jay Hughes

Case Number:

Official: State
Statue: RCRA
Action: Unspecified Government Action
Disposition: Lead Closed

Date Sent: April 12, 2016

Time Sent: 7:23:47 AM

To: lindlema@dhec.sc.gov

Cc:

From: barrino.reginald@epa.gov

Subject: FWD: (RCRA/Solid Waste - FY16-141598-3708-CV) Referred to Region - South Carolina

Message: Marty - I am forwarding this complaint to your office for follow-up. Thank you, Reginald

Date Sent: April 11, 2016

Time Sent: 9:29:15 AM

To: Region 4

Cc:

From: HQ Criminal

Subject: Final Disposition

Message: HQ Lead Number: FY16-141598-3708
Potential Violator's State: South Carolina
Reference Lead Number:
Potential Violator's Name: Hughes junk yard/ Jay Hughes
Case Number:

Official: Region
Statue: Unassigned
Action: Under Review
Disposition: N/A
